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A FATAL WRECK.

Forty People Injured, Many Fatally.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Further Particulars in the Barnaby Murder Case.

Influenza Becoming Epidemic in Massachusetts.

Barnaby Murder Case.
By Associated Press.]

DENVER, Dec. 16.—In the Barnaby trial to-day Mrs. E. S. Worrell was called to the stand. She became acquainted with Mrs. Barnaby in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1877. She accompanied Mrs. Barnaby on her Californian trip at the latter's request. The witness went on to say that she arrived in Denver with Mrs. Barnaby in July and both attended the wedding of young Barnaby. From there they went to San Francisco, and this witness returned to Denver alone on April 7th. Mrs. Barnaby was met by a woman in San Francisco, who recommended her to a doctor. The witness thought it very strange and spoke to the clerk of the hotel about it, but Mrs. Barnaby decided to remain and be treated by this doctor. The witness left her with Mrs. Fisher and left for Denver, arriving here April 9th.

The witness also told that there was a package here for Mrs. Barnaby, and after they returned from the ranch one day, they took the fatal finid. Mrs. Barnaby said she was tired and thought a little fine old whisky would help her. She made two toddies and the witness took one and drank it and exclaimed, "Its vile stuff;" but Mrs. Barnaby drank hers and finally said "It is poor stuff." Then the witness became ill, and her son hurried in and told her she should not have drank it before dinner. The witness vomited and became unconscious until 2 o'clock the next morning. She could not keep anything on her stomach.

Railroad Wreck.
By Associated Press.]

LIMA (O.), Dec. 16.—The westbound passenger train on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad left the track this morning near Lima, because of a broken rail, and crashed into the engine of a freight train standing on a siding. The Pullman and dining cars rolled down the embankment. H. G. Emanuel, the cook, was instantly killed. Edwin Kneff, a fireman, was fatally injured, and fifteen others were badly hurt. Among the injured are Henry Hamilton, consulting engineer of the Pennsylvania system; his son, William Hamilton, Judge Reynolds of Chicago, general counsel of the road on which the wreck occurred, and F. S. Dunn of Seattle, Wash. The last named had his hip mashed.

The second cook was also caught under the wreck and killed as was also an unknown man. Forty people were injured, among whom several are fatally hurt.

Presidential Nominations.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The President to-day sent to the Senate the following nominations to be United States Circuit Judges, as provided by Section 1, Chapter 517, of the United States Statutes at large: Wm. L. Putnam, of Maine, for First Judicial Circuit; Nathaniel Shipman, of Connecticut, for Second Judicial Circuit; George M. Dallas, of Pennsylvania, for Third Judicial Circuit; Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, for Fourth Judicial Circuit; Wm. M. H. Taft, of Ohio, for Fifth Judicial Circuit; Wm. A. Woods, of Indiana, for Seventh Judicial Circuit; Warren Truit, of Oregon, United States District Judge for District of Alaska.

Labor Convention.
By Associated Press.]

BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), Dec. 16.—The convention of the Federation of Labor this morning adopted a resolution condemning the conspiracy laws of Pennsylvania and the decision of the Secretary of the Treasury in allowing foreign musicians to come into this country as artists. Congress is petitioned to put the trades union laborers on a legal footing with trades marks.

Boycott Settled.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The general passenger agents of the Trunk lines yesterday killed the Alton boycott and devised a new scheme to prevent the payment of commissions on passenger traffic.

Congressional.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Speaker has announced the appointment of the Committee on Rules as follows: Speaker Crisp, chairman, and Messrs. McMillan, Hutchings, Reed and Burrows.

A resolution was presented providing for the appointment of a standing committee on the order of business to consist of fifteen members, of which the Speaker shall be ex-officio chairman, which shall have jurisdiction of the order in which business shall be considered. Referred to the Committee on Rules.

Bartine of Nevada, who has been absent on account of illness, appeared at the bar of the House and took his oath of office.

Taylor of Tennessee announced the death of his colleague, Leonardis C. Houk, who died in Knoxville in May last. The House then, as a mark of respect to the memory of deceased, adjourned until Saturday.

The appointment of the House Committee on Rules is regarded by the members of the House as a return to the former policy of appointing members to this committee without reference to their other committee assignments. McMillan, one of the new members of the Rules Committee, is prominent as a tariff reformer, and was one of the most active members of the Ways and Means Committee.

McMillan said, however, he was in favor of the appointment of Mills as chairman of the last named committee.

McMillan's selection as a member of the Rules Committee is ascribed to his parliamentary ability, his effectiveness as a debater and to the fact that he is personally very well liked by the members of the Democratic side, and will therefore be of great assistance in securing a harmonious adjustment of any differences which may arise as to party policy.

Catchings of Mississippi is a firm personal friend of the new Speaker and one of the active managers of his canvass. He is also popular with the members of the House, being an experienced member, an active worker and a clear, forcible speaker.

SENATE.

Among the papers presented and referred were numerous memorials against the Sunday opening of the World's Fair. Some of them favored the loan of five millions on that condition. A number of bills of no great importance were introduced.

Stewart then gave notice that he would on Monday next address the Senate on that portion of the President's message relative to the coinage of silver.

The Senate at 12:30 proceeded to executive business, and at 1:15 adjourned till to-morrow.

The Democratic Caucus Committee to-day completed its labors in the assignment of minority representations upon the Senate committees and will submit its list for approval at the caucus to-morrow. It is impossible to learn definitely the places assigned to any new Senators, but it is understood they have been well cared for. Kyle and Irby, Alliance Senators, are treated as Democrats, while Senator Pfeffer is left to the Republicans to care for in the arrangement of their list.

Bank Assignment.
By Associated Press.]

PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—A Greensburg (Pa.) special says the Irwin Bank at Irwin, Pa., failed to open this morning. Pool & Son, the proprietors, have made an assignment. They say the bank could not recover from the shock caused by a former suspension, and said that between $75,000 and $100,000 had been drawn out within the past week. The Pools claim that every dollar of the deposits will be paid.

An Amicable Settlement
By Cable and Associated Press.]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—In an interview to-day with the Bulgarian Minister in this city in regard to the Chadouine incident, he stated he felt confident that the whole matter would be amicably settled. He entertained no doubt that Bolgaria would make the concessions demanded by France and thus bring about the re-establishment of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

The New Industry.
By Associated Press.]

PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—What is said to be the first carload of pig tin ever mined on the North American continent has arrived here. It came from Durango, Mexico, and is the property of the Pittsburg & Mexican Tin Mining Company.

Influenza Raging.
By Associated Press.]

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—Influenza is raging throughout the State. The mills and schools are suffering and every workshop, store and profession is affected.

FREE COINAGE BILL

Will Pass the Present Congress.

OPERATORS STRIKE SUCCESSFUL.

Nat. Republican Committee Making Preparations.

The Strength of the Various Candidates to be Considered.

Operators' Strike.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—No new developments in the telegraph operators strike this morning, beyond the fact that one man had left his station at Spadra, Los Angeles county.

General Manager Towne of the Southern Pacific states that of two men, who struck on the Salt Lake division, one had been reinstated on his own application. Towne says that all men who make application and agree to conform with the rules will be taken back.

DENVER, Dec. 16.—The Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company have conceded all demands of the striking operators.

A telegram received here from Albuquerque this morning says: "The Texas Pacific operators held a meeting there last night and decided to quit work at midnight to-night, unless the demands of the Southern Pacific operators are granted before that hour. This decision will affect the entire Texas system."

The Order of Railway Telegraphers in this city have called a meeting for to-night for the purpose of taking some action regarding the Southern Pacific strike.

The following order addressed to Superintendent Gable of the Atlantic & Pacific was issued by President Manville of the Santa Fe at noon to-day: "Sign and accept the schedule presented by the operators and dispatchers; namely, the operators to receive $80 per month, with 12 hours work and extra; dispatchers $150 for eight hours work, and chief dispatchers $175 per month and no track work."

Free Silver.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec, 16.—According to the *World*, it is pretty certain that a bill for the free coinage of silver in some form will pass both the Democratic House and Republican Senate this present session. The plan practically agreed upon by those who will control the matter in the House, says a Washington special to the *World*, is briefly this: "To stop all purchases of silver by the government; to throw open the mints for the free coinage of all silver to be hereafter produced from American mines, and to guard against unloading of foreign silver upon the United States by a system of notifications and inspection, similar to that devised for guarding the sugar bounties." The dispatch also states that Speaker Crisp has fully decided to make Bland Chairman of the Committee on Coinage, and that a majority of the members of the committee will be advocates of free silver.

Acquitted of the Charge.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

MARYSAILLE, Dec. 16.—Margaret Signorette, the woman who shot her husband in the head at his request at their home near Foster's Bar, in this county, had a preliminary examination to-day and was discharged. The evidence showed the man was insane from drinking cheap wines of his own make, and that he took strychnine, and it not having immediate effect insisted upon his wife shooting him. The aged woman, it was conclusively established, was in mortal fear of the man and had never been known to disobey his slightest request. Even with this abject servitude he was not satisfied, and her body shows evidence of his brutal treatment.

Arrival of the Del Norte.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The steamer Del Norte arrived from Coos Bay this morning with Captain Parker and five of the crew of the bark General Butler, which was abandoned in a sinking condition off Cape Blanco. Mate Willoughby and five of the crew are reported lost.

Mr. Greenwald, the owner of the wrecked steamer Maggie Ross, said he was satisfied that Captain Marshall did all he could to save the steamer. He did not know the exact condition of the vessel, but was rejoiced to learn that the captain and a number of the crew had been saved. They are expected to reach here to-day or to-morrow.

Active Preparations.
By Associated Press.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 15.—Chairman Clarkson of the National Republican Committee and members of the committee spent the day looking over the Exposition building, and consulting with an architect as to its remodeling to meet the needs of the convention. The Colonel said Blaine was feeling better than he had in many years; as to whether Blaine would run again he declined to be quoted. He thought the defeat of Mills settled Cleveland's chances. Iowa, he said, was Republican on national issues.

Colonel Conger, a member of the Republican Executive Committee, in an interview to-day, speaking of the coming convention said: "The convention proposes that the whole field shall be looked over and the strength of the various candidates carefully considered. Then a decision will be made and the men be named by acclamation by the convention. There will be no contest on the floor of the convention, and there will be no attempt to put down public sentiment, but the whole matter will be formally understood and acquiesced in by the delegates before the convention gets down to work." In regard to the letter of declination from Blaine, Col. Conger said there was nothing in it. "There is no reason why Blaine should write a letter now," he continued, "nor until the nomination was tendered him, and in that event, under the plan the convention proposes to work, he certainly could not decline, neither could Harrison or any other man who may be selected."

More About the Message.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A *Times* correspondent in Paris sends to his paper a column dispatch giving the text of Chili's reply to President Harrison's message.

"The surprising character of America's action," the correspondent says, "and the violence of President Harrison's message would be repugnant to European ideas, even if they are only affected. If, however, America went to war for a sailors' quarrel, Europe might witness a spectacle so singular that it would relieve the monotony of the present times. America having refused to sign a treaty against privateering, Chili will now be entitled to equip her entire mercantile marine, even the American built vessels, as privateers. Happily this is a mere hypothesis, as President Harrison's message was mere rhetoric."

Louisiana Convention.
By Associated Press.]

BATON ROUGE (La.), Dec, 16.—The Democratic State Nominating Convention, which meets here to-day, is composed of 686 delegates proper, but as double delegations have been elected in many cases, there will probably be 800 or 1,000 present when the convention is called to order. The campaign throughout the State has been very acrimonious between the anti-lottery faction of the party and its opponents. As the antics are in the minority, a bolt of their faction is threatened, and it is probable there will be two conventions. The Democratic State Central Committee, with 50 of the 90 members present, has just declared Chairman Lamois' seat vacant and named ex-Governor Wickliff as his successor.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Secretary Foster is still improving in health.

Representative Mills' condition is slightly better to-day.

James Kelly, the engineer of the Central train wrecked at Fishkill, N. Y., last night, died this morning.

A dispatch from London says the fishing boat Osprey foundered in the Tay and her crew of five men were drowned.

Ex-Governer Safford of Arizona died at his home at Tarpan Springs, Fla., yesterday morning, after an illness of over a year.

Since the news of the arrest of his son Edward was known to Cyrus W. Field, he has gradually failed and today he is reported to be in a very critical condition.

The steamer Prince Soltykoff, from Barry for St. Mazaire, is reported wrecked off Brest, England, and everyone of her crew drowned. The only person saved from the steamer was the captain.

A collision occurred on the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, near Alderson, West Virginia, this morning, between a freight and passenger train. Fireman Lyons and Postal Clerk Burnett were killed, and seven others hurt.

The famous case of the Adams Express Company against ex-President Hoey, in New York, will be settled out of court. The terms of the compromise will involve the return of about $500,000 to the company by Hoey.

The Bank of Columbia.
By Associated Press.]

COLUMBIA (Tenn.), Dec. 16.—The creditor's committee of the Bank of Columbia and the Columbia Banking Co., now insolvent, reported this morning that the banks will pay sixty or seventy cents on the dollar, with a probability of more.

Hoskins & Hastings' orchestra, six pieces, will furnish the music for the Xmas ball at Armory Hall. Fred White will call.

Chauncey Depew said in the course of his address to the Fellowship Club, in Chicago, that after a man had passed 40 years of age he makes no new friends.

BORN.

O'GARA—In Carson City, December 13, 1891, to the wife of Dennis O'Gara, a daughter.

WATKINS—In Carson City, December 7th, 1891, to the wife of Edward Watkins, a son.

MARRIED.

FRIDERMAN—GREELEY—In Reno, at the residence of G. Hoskins, December 16, 1891, by Rev. Wm. Lucas, Wm. Friderman and Miss Gussie Greeley, both of Montana.

MANNING—WILLIAMS—In Sacramento, December 16, 1891, by Bishop Wingfield, Dr. Guy M. Manning, of San Francisco, to Miss Harriet Williams, of Tacoma, Wash.

NEW TO-DAY.

Probate Notice.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada in and for Washoe county.

In the matter of the estate of Petro Martenoni, deceased.

J. V. Peers, administrator of the estate of Petro Martenoni, deceased, having filed in this court, a petition, setting forth among other things, that he has filed his final account of the administration of said estate and that the same has been duly settled and allowed; that all the debts and expenses of the administration has been duly paid; and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, and praying, among other things for an order of distribution of the residence of said estate to the persons entitled. The alleged heirs are: Mortina Martenoni, Maria Martenoni, Catherino Martenoni, wife of L. Frigni, and George Martenoni; all residing in Switzerland, and the court having fixed Saturday, the 16th day of January, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courthouse, in Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, as the time and place of hearing said petition.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, be and appear before the District Court in and for said Washoe County, at the courtroom thereof, in Reno, Nevada, on said Saturday, January 16th, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why an order of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate, among the heirs of said deceased, according to law.

O. H. PERRY, Clerk.
By W. L. Knox, Deputy.
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Wednesday.....December 16, 1891

OUR disputatous neighbor across the way is so bound up in Democracy that it does not like to give the Republicans credit for anything good and goes so far even as to misrepresent facts to gain a point. This morning it says:

The President's message, which should be absolutely correct when stating what it purports to be facts, is found to contain several misstatements. One or more of these errors is in his argument against silver, when he stated that the friends of silver believed the Sherman Commodity Act of July, 1890, to be as good as free coinage, and the other that at no time since the passage of the act had the silver dollar been worth more than 74½ cents.

President Harrison said nothing of the kind and the editor of the Journal knows it now and knew it before he penned the article. The Journal is extremely narrow in its discussion of political questions. The leader this morning was a tissue of misrepresentations, but that is nothing, for it seems to be its entire stock in trade. It must take its readers for fools, or that they read no other paper but the Journal. "Stick to the truth, my boy, and you will be blessed."

What the President did say, and we quote from his message as reported in full was:

Under the law of July 14, 1890, the Secretary of the Treasury has purchased since August 13th, during the fiscal year, 48,393,113 ounces of silver bullion at an average cost of $1.045 per ounce. The highest price paid during the year was $1.2025 and the lowest .9636. In exchange for this silver bullion there have been issued $5,057,498 of the Treasury notes authorized by the act. The lowest price of silver reached during the fiscal year was .9636, on April 22, 1891, but on November 1st the market price was only .96, which would give to the silver dollar a bullion value of 74¼ cents.

If the Journal would take some of the good council it gave regarding the misstatement of facts in a State paper, it would be more honorable. The Journal is hard to please politically, unless a Republican is running for the United States Senate from Nevada. Then it seems not to lose its head.

RELIGOUS excitement ran high in St. Mary's Protestant Anglican Church at Newry, near Dublin, last Sunday. While the service was going on, eleven vestrymen advanced to the altar, seized the communion cloth, on which were embroidered the letters "IHS," and struggled with the rector for its possession. The vestrymen were victorious, and cut off and burned the lettering "IHS." The vestry had long agitated the subject of the removal of the lettering, which proved extremely objectionable to certain parishioners. The vestrymen will be prosecuted. A scene like the one here recounted is not strongly suggestive of the spirit of the Gentle Nazarene. The scoffers outside the pale of churchdom take advantage of such occurrences to suggest that partisan strife sometimes rules, rather than brotherly affection. To the minds of ordinary men, those who are neither preachers nor vestrymen, it appears strange that anybody should care whether those letters are on an altar-cloth or not. What difference would they make? Would they save a soul if present or condemn a soul if absent? Aside from every other consideration, one must wonder that anybody should object to these letters. They are the first three letters of Jesus' name as they appear in the Greek language. A church that pretends to do all its work "In His name" ought not to banish His name from the altar.

THE striking telegraphers evidently mean business. While all the boys did not go out on this division there were enough to seriously cripple the system and the Southern Pacific Company will probably find out before they are through with it that their attempt to destroy the unalienable rights of the telegraphers will prove a costly experiment. This is a day of trusts. There are trusts in sugar, in oil, in coal, and in fact in at everything that is necessary to human existence, and why that company should object to labor trusts is not made plain.

A LINGUISTIC PARROT.

He Can Speak in Five Languages—A Bird Who Laughs at Singers.

The parrot, according to the best authorities on ornithology, belongs to the family of scansorial birds, remarkable for their beautiful colors, powerful bill, fleshy tongue and their power of imitating the human voice. According to others, who do not view them from a scientific standpoint, they are nothing more than a nuisance. But there are parrots and parrots, and, in whatever category one is disposed to place them, there is no gainsaying the fact that the attainments of some of them are noteworthy, if not always praiseworthy.

Up in the French quarter just north of Washington square, says the New York Mail and Express, lives an old Frenchman, an exile of course, called M. Felix. He is a gentleman of the old school, and is supposed to have seen better, if not happier, days. For many years he has instructed his fellow countrymen and country women, too, for that matter, through the medium of a little circulating library over which he presides with great dignity. He speaks seven or eight languages. In time not otherwise engaged he has instructed a parrot of which he is the possessor in the rudiments of some of these languages, and with an uncommon degree of success.

The other evening a call was made at the little circulating library. Felix's welcome was cordial and he seemed gratified to know that the fame of his parrot was extending.

"Ah, yes, Pierre, 'es a wonderful bird. I not take dree, two, fi' tousan' dollaires for him. Is it not so?"

"Oui! Oui!" shrieked the parrot. Then he shut up like a steel trap and refused to be friendly for some little time. Felix took advantage of his silence to extol his merits, saying he knew words in English, French, German, Italian and Spanish.

"Of course, not vaire mooch, vous conprenez. Mais! 'e 'es not vaire well just now."

As Felix said this he winked slyly at his visitors. The parrot ruffled up his feathers at this and was extremely voluble for the space of a minute or so, in which he remarked that his "sante" was "tres bien." As if to prove it he hummed a few words of a song of the boulevards and wound up with a couple of bars of "The Marsellaise."

"How is that for high?" he interrogated, as he swung gayly to and fro on his perch.

The antithesis to Felix's parrot is to be found in the possession of a theatrical manager up town. He is the owner of a parrot, a truly beautiful bird, by the way, who, while he has never been known to utter a word in any language familiar to man, yet seems to possess a keen sense of humor. This parrot is frequently present at operatic rehearsals, but it is when a new aspirant for fame behind the footlights is demonstrating his or her ability as a singer that this parrot comes out strongly. When the singer is in the most touching part of the music the parrot will break into a paroxysm of laughter, with a great "Ho! Ho! Ho!" The sound is lifelike in the extreme, and the effect on the bewildered singer is more easily imagined than described.

Keeps Tab on the Waiters.

In a big Fulton street restaurant there is a man with a peculiar specialty. It must have taken years of practice to perfect himself in it, and as far as is known he has his unique field all to himself. He stands at a desk directly opposite the stairs which lead to the kitchen, and the waiters in going and returning therefrom have to pass before him. On the desk, says the New York Commercial Advertiser, is a great card with a list of every solid and liquid that the restaurant sells running down the side of it. As the waiters pass from the kitchen they swing their trays toward him, and at a glance he makes a mental list of everything upon them and writes their prices down upon the card with electric rapidity. During the busy hours his pen is kept going incessantly; but he never makes a mistake, and when the day closes the proprietors have the record of its sale before them to the final and exact penny. He is a variety of automatic cash register that ought never to fail to find a market.

THEY ARE GETTING OLD.

The Ages of Distinguished Men Born About the Same Time.

Sixty years ago, or in 1831, were born Gen. John M. Schofield, Gen. John W. Noble, secretary of the interior; Hon. Redfield Proctor, secretary of war; Senator William P. Frye, ex-Gov. Oliver Ames, of Massachusetts, Editor E. L. Godkin and William J. Florence, the actor. One year younger are Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, United States Judge Walter Q. Gresham and Col. John R. Fellows, says the New York Recorder.

The year 1833 presented Benjamin Harrison, now president; Melville W. Fuller, Chief Justice and Justice John M. Harlan, Senators J. Don Cameron and M. S. Quay and ex-Senator John J. Ingalls; Robert G. Ingersoll, Edwin Booth, ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt, Gen. James W. Husted and Joseph Howard, Jr.

Dr. Chauncey M. Depew began orating in 1834, and these are also fifty-seven years old; Archbishop Corrigan, Senators Frank Hiscock and Rufus Blodgett, Erastus Wiman, Marshall Field, of Chicago, Prof. A. Herrmann, the prestidigitateur and C. A. Cappa, the popular bandmaster.

From 1835 we have Bishop Henry C. Potter, Hons. William E. Chandler, John G. Carlisle, Roswell P. Flower and Stewart L. Woodford, Theodore Thomas, "Nym Crinkle" and "Mark Twain."

A Horse's Stomach.

Nothing on earth will upset a horse's stomach, according to London Truth. This is not because the horse does not feel pain, but simply because the horse has no gall bladder. Has anybody ever seen a horse sick at sea? Has anybody ever known an emetic to have any effect on a horse? At a bull fight a horse may be seen eating with its entrails trailing on the ground. As for the contention that a horse is not as sensitive to pain as man, I think that a horse is probably a great deal more so. There is no living creature, not even a hysterical woman, so nervously sensitive as a

MISCELLANEOUS.

Scrofula

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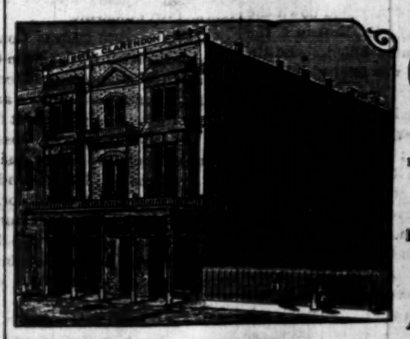

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Wednesday.....December 16, 1891

TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno

ARRIVE.	TRAINS—C. P.	LEAVE.
10:10 p. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	10.20 p. m
8:10 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound Ex.	8:20 a. m.
9:50 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	10:00 a. m.
10:20 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound Ex.	10:30 p. m
	V. & T.	
8:45 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	
	No. 2, S. F. Express.	8:25 a. m.
	No. 3, Local Passengr	1:45 p. m.
11:45 a. m.	No. 4, Local Passengr	
	N. & C.	
	Express and Freight.	9:45 a. m
3:40 p. m.	Express and Freight.	

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSES. A.M.	CLOSES. P.M.	ARRIVES A.M.	ARRIVES P.M.
San Francisco and Sacramento (through p'ch	9:30		8:10	.....
San Francisco, Sacto and intermediate points	....	8:00	8:10	....
Ogden, all eastern points	7:30	....	....	10:30
V. & T. and all southern points	7:30	....	....	8:45
Nashville and all points north	9:00	....	....	3:40
Buffalo Meadows, Sheephead every Monday.. (Arrive every Saturday)	9:00	....	....	....

JOTTINGS.

Bargains in hats at "The Empress." Latest styles and lowest prices.

Homeopathic treatment—Taking a "pony" of brandy when a man is a little hoarse. A better remedy would be a glass of beer from Jake Becker's.

The Best and Worst—Tired traveler (alighting from train)—Which do you consider the best hotel here? Drummer—You see that building over there? That is the worst. Tired Traveler—But I don't want the worst, I want the best. Drummer—Then I don't know what you are going to do. There is only one. If he had gone to the Riverside he would be sure to find the best hotel.

Home Talent Mask Ball.

Don't forget the Masquerade Ball at Armory Hall Christmas night. Admission 50 cents. Look out for the prize list.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It keeps the cough loose and makes expectoration easy. 50 cent bottles for sale by J. B. McCullough, druggist.

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggists a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping cough, croup, and etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon.

Trial bottles free at Wm. Pinniger's Druggist.

Stimulate the Blood.

BRANDRETH'S PILLS are the great blood purifier. They are a purgative and blood tonic, they act equally on the bowels, the kidneys, and the skin, thus cleansing the system by the natural outlet of the body—they may be called the purgative andorific and diuretic medicine. They stimulate the blood so as to enable nature to throw off all morbid humors, and cure disease no matter by what name it may be called. One or two of them taken every night will prove an infallible remedy.

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We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklin Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merit. Wm. Pinniger druggist.

A Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture, like perspiration causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as blind, bleeding and protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50c. Druggists or mail; treatise free. Dr. Bosanko, Piqua, O. Sold by S. J. Hodgkinson. ap3

Baby cried,
Mother sighed,
Doctor prescribed: Castoria!

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ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

SAGE'S ASSAILANT.

He Had Patents Relating to Elevated Railroads—Their Nature.

It having been definitely settled that the mysterious stranger who endeavored to elevate Russell Sage has been identified as Henry L. Norcross of Boston, it transpires from the evidence of his friends and associates that Norcross was of an inventive turn of mind—his forte laying in the discovery of inventions to improve locomotion by elevated railways. Then in the Eastern press seem to find a clue to the motive which prompted his deadly assault on Sage. An examination of the United States Patent Office records for the last eleven years discloses the fact that Norcross was granted letters patent No. 437,230 on September 30, 1890, for an improvement in elevated railroads. The specification of his patent read as follows, the letters of the alphabet designating the component part of his invention being omitted. "Claim first, an elevated railroad consisting of box-girders extending transversely across the roadway and supported by posts or columns; longitudinal girders arranged in pairs between the box-girders, the planks secured to the girders and the rails; second, in combination with an elevated railroad having a roadway supported by two rows of posts or columns and having rails upon which the cars run; channel irons arranged on each side of said rails and supported above the track by standards at or about a height equal to half the height of the car, and thirdly, in an elevated railroad rollers mounted at right angles to each other in a frame secured to the side of the car in combination with longitudinal channel-irons supported so as to be nearly in contact with said rolls." No assignment of this patent seems to have ever been made by Norcross, and it has been suggested that the effort to defraud Norcross of his patent rights resulted in the fearful tragedy.

ENCOURAGING REPORTS.

What the Honey Lake Valley Land and Water Company are Doing.

From George Greeno, of Long Valley, who lives three miles south of the Honey Lake Valley Water and Land Co.'s seat of operations the GAZETTE learns that the company are working 75 horses and 35 or 40 scrapers on the foundation for the dam across Long Valley creek and that there are thirty or forty families there, and that the company is pushing the work as rapidly as possible. Mr. Greeno expresses himself as being thoroughly satisfied that the company are going on in good faith and that they will develop a great and valuable property. He says the scheme is perfectably feasible and wonders that it has lain idle so long. Mr. Greeno is one of the oldest inhabitants of Long Valley and a man highly respected by his neighbors. He says that Taylor Camp is one of the busiest places at the north and makes a market for much of the products of Long Valley. Mr. Greeno says that portion of Lassen county is sure to boom in the spring. Such reports are exceedingly encouraging and the GAZETTE congratulates its northern neighbor in getting such a company at work to develop the dormant industries.

A GOOD HOUSE.

Run by Men of Acknowledged Business Tact and Experience.

Attention is called to the double half column advertisement of White House clothing emporium, which appears in the GAZETTE to-day. The Abraham Bros., the proprietors, are progressive men. They are public-spirited and have done much to promote the town's best interests. To them is largely due the credit of establishing the Bank of Nevada, and they are great friends of the sheep industry, and have done more to encourage that important branch in Reno than most anyone in the town. They have been in business here for fifteen years, and being gentlemen of wealth, have given their money a chance, not only in keeping up a large clothing house where everything can be bought, from a stylish hat to a pair of boots, but they have had an eye single to the prosperity of the town as well. Go to their mammoth store and price their goods before making your purchase, for they deal in only first-class goods.

Roll of Honor.

Following is the roll of honor of the Churchill county District No. 3. school for the month commencing November 16th and ending December 9, 1891: Florence Roche 99, James Lofthouse 98, Paul Lofthouse 97, Charley Lofthouse 96.8, Chris Fish 94.6, Clarence Dillard 94, Ada Dillard 91, Abbie Wightman 91.

LOTTIE J. MAPES.

La Grippe.

The disease called la grippe, which is prevalent throughout the State, is said to be cured very easily. The following prescription is said to be a sure shot for the affliction: "When you are attacked drink a cup of hot cinnamon tea before retiring and you will be all right the next morning"

Fell From the Roof.

J. M. Bristol, the carpenter, fell from the roof of the Reduction Works yesterday, a distance of about 20 feet, and suffered a pretty severe shaking up. Dr. Phillips was called and took several stitches in his lacerated scalp and thinks he will be all right in a few days.

The Voice of the People

Reaches us—or should do so—through the ballot-box. This is the medium thought which it ought to speak in clarion tones. But there are other means by which the people voice their sentiments, irrespective of politics, considering matters of vital importance. Successful or unsuccessful are those admonitions as they are heard distinctly or faintly. But health, the grand desideratum, appeals to us all. The avenue is only cleared when the obstacles which bar its complete recovery are swept aside. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has for nearly a third of a century occupied the first rank among proprietary remedies for debility, dyspepsia, constipation, disorder of the liver and kidneys, and as an effectual means of conquering and preventing malarial complaints. Since the advent of "la grippe" it has also equalized itself as a cure of the complaint.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Charley Leeper is reported very sick with pneumonia.

Call at the Merchant's Exchange for hot winter drinks.

Another storm is brewing and may be looked for most any day.

There are ninety-four teachers of music in the city of Los Angeles.

Southern California editors hold their next convention in Fresno.

Look out for the masquerade ball Christmas night at Armory Hall.

Patti is on record as saying that sleep is the best tonic for a prima donna's voice.

Another record meeting on the kite-shaped race track at Stockton will be held to-morrow.

John Belz is the only barber in town who runs three chairs and does not keep his customers waiting.

Governor Colcord on Monday appointed H. D. Freudenthal of Pioche a Notary Public for Lincoln county.

The public schools of Petaluma, Cal., owing to colds and influenza, have closed until after the holidays.

Get your photographs for Christmas now at Swisher & Bender's. They do the best work and the cheapest. tf

Huxley is one of the few men of science who smoke, and he did not commence the habit until he was 40 years old.

A bean supper will be given at Trinity Church rectory Thursday, December 17, between 5 and 8 P. M. Everybody invited. Price 25c. 2t*

Miss Amy Busby of Stuart Robson's company is engaged to marry Aubrey Boucicault, leading man in the same company, son of Dion Boucicault.

Adah Isaacs Menken, the dazzling footlight favorite of a generation ago, sleeps in a weed-grown grave in the Paris cemetery of Pere-la-Chaise.

Coquelin is greatly troubled with rheumatism, and people similarly afflicted are said to find their ailment a passport to the actor's good graces.

W. Pinniger has an exhibition at his pharmacy the latest designs in Xmas goods, just received from Chicago. Everyone invited to inspect them. tf

Joseph Cowing is here soliciting orders for the Farnham patent stove drum. They save fuel, gain heat and avoid fire and should be in every house.

At Thurston's you can get a very handsome Xmas present for your wife, daughter, son or best girl. Charley has the handsomest stock on the coast to select from.

The lima bean ranch of Dixie Thompson, in Ventura county, Cal., is said to be the largest in the world, 2,200 acres being planted to beans. The crop this year was about 103 carloads.

The best arranged bath house and barber shop in the State; porcelain tubs and stove in each room. Comfort during the winter season. Try one and you will be satisfied at C. Coleman's. tf

The Federated Trades Council of Sacramento will hold a union Christmas tree. They say they will not go to the churches because the children of the rich carry off all the prizes to the exclusion of the poor children.

Harris Bros., clothiers of Helena, Mont., have assigned, with preferences of $350,000, including $20,000 worth of notes due local banks and $80,000 due dealers in New York. The liabilities are $60,000, and the assets are thought to be the same.

A dispatch from Paso Robles, Cal., says the Southern Pacific Railroad Company has ordered 500 barrels of flour sent to Santa Margarita to be used while constructing a tunnel for the completion of the gap between that place and Ellwood.

An Appropriate Costume—"What was the idea of dressing the little page at the Revere wedding like a Western desperado?" "Oh, he was to hold up the train, you know!" Go to John Sunderland's for the latest styles in dress suits.

The Fresno county (Cal.) Board of Trade, at a largely-attended meeting, declined to organize an auxiliary to the San Francisco Traffic Association. The sentiment was that the association's work was of no benefit to Fresno, which wants terminal point rates.

Edwin C. Borrell, manager of the Kings River Ditch Company of Tulare county, Cal., is in Reno. He has been investigating the Honey Lake Valley land and Water Company and was so well pleased he made a location, and says there will be twenty families from Tulare county in the spring.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

MONEY IN IT.

Making Cream Tartar from Grape Pumice—Recent Chemical Tests.

W. B. Rising, State Analyst and Professor of Chemistry at the University of California has lately been making a number of interesting tests to determine the quantity of cream of tartar in grape pumice. His report will likely attract much attention, for the reason that he points out that wine-makers are now burning or using simply for fertilizing, a material from which a good deal of money might readily be gained.

It is figured roughly, from the result of his tests, that each ton of ordinary wine-grape pumice—the mass of pulp, stems, seeds and skins from which wine has been pressed—contains sufficient cream of tartar to net between $5 and $6. Heretofore this has never been made use of for this purpose by wine-makers.

PERSONALS.

John Sparks is here again.

Joe Cowing of Carson is here today.

E. Gest has returned from New York.

Harry Martin, son of W. O. H. Martin, came up from below this morning to spend the holidays.

Mrs. E. B. Crocker and Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Gillig and daughter left this morning for New York.

Mrs. Bender, the mother of C. T. and W. S. Bender, was here last night. She returned to Carson this morning.

F. M. Shadeler, Vice-President of the Honey Lake Valley Land and Water Company, is in this city. There are arrivals in their camp every day, and travel to Honey Lake Valley continues good.

Very Attractive.

The display of novelties, handsome and rich dress goods, fashionable jackets for ladies, misses and children, handkerchiefs and many other articles at Emrich's, of the Nevada Dry Goods and Carpet Store, is unusually well selected and is attracting a great number of purchasers daily. Still there is always room for one more, and those who desire to make purchases for the holidays should call at once and make their selection.

Married.

Dr. Guy E. Manning was married to-day at Sacramento by Bishop Wingfield of the Diocese of Northern California, to Miss Harriet Williams, formerly of Virginia City. The GAZETTE extends its most hearty congratulations to the happy couple. Dr. Manning is a Reno raised boy, has a successful practice in San Francisco and is fast going to the head of his profession.

French Tansy Wafers.

These wafers are for the relief and cure of painful and irregular menses, and will remove all obstruction, no matter what the cause, and are sure and safe every time. Manufactured by Emerson Drug Co., San Jose, Cal., and for sale only by William Pinniger. oc22y1

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Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills are a sure cure for sick headache, bilious complaints, dyspepsia, indigestion, costiveness, torpid liver, etc. These pills insure perfect digestion, correct the liver and stomach, regulate the bowels, purify and enrich the blood and make the skin clear. They also produce a good appetite and invigorate and strengthen the entire system by their tonic action. Sold at 25 cents a box by S. J. Hodgkinson.

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A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

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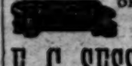

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Perhaps not a hundred St. Louisans are aware of the fact that their city is famous the world over among geologists and scientists as having the deepest well ever sunk. It is known as the "fools'" well and is located at the city insane asylum, in the southwestern portion of the city. It was ordered to be sunk by the county court in 1866, before the separation of the city and county, with the view of obtaining a supply of water for the institution, then in course of construction. Work was commenced on it March 31, 1866, and was steadily pushed forward month after month and year after year for the space of three years, five months and fifteen days, says the St. Louis Republic, when, the drill striking a ledge of granite that continued to hold out after a penetration of 40 feet, the work was abandoned at a depth of 3,843 1-5 feet.

Various strata of rock and earth were penetrated in the descent, and at 1,700 feet granite was struck, which should have precluded any hope of ever striking water, as it is a well-known geological fact that water does not exist below the granite.

A stream of water was struck at a depth of 1,220 feet which rose to within 127 feet of the surface, but no farther, as there seemed to be some lateral outlet for the water. From 1,448 to 1,586 feet below the surface sulphur water was drawn, strongly impregnated with sulphureted hydrogen gas. A little distance below this a vein of saline water was discovered of a bluish cast and containing 7 per cent. of salt. As no tubing was used in the well the water from these various streams continued to flow in during the boring, but, as stated, never raised the water nearer than 127 feet of the surface.

At a depth of some 3,200 feet a stratum of rock known as the Potsdam sandstone of the lowest silurian system was struck, and in penetrating it the drill unfortunately stuck and was broken off. This for a time was regarded as putting an end to further boring, but the ingenious engineer, after a week or two of meditation, devised a contrivance that successfully removed the broken drill. A new difficulty soon presented itself, however, that still more seriously threatened to prevent further progress. It was found that while the drills were made of the very best steel, the weight of the iron bars extending down from the engine to which the drill was attached was so excessive that a drop of even one foot was powerful enough to batter the point of the drill and consequently prevent any headway being attained. Again, however, the ingenuity of the engineer solved the problem. He reasoned that the well being nearly full of water the substitution of wooden poles for the iron rods to which the drill was attached would not only lessen the weight, but the wood would act as a float in the water and furnish the necessary resistance to overcome any excessive weight. He accordingly procured stout poles 33 1-3 feet in length, furnished with solid screw joints, and on testing the experiment was rewarded with success. The work continued to the depth stated, when it was abandoned by order of the court as an unprofitable job.

This depth of 3,843 1-5 feet, compared with the next deepest well in the world, that located at Pesth, which is 3,182 feet, shows a difference in favor of the St. Louis well of 661 1-5 feet.

The next in depth of St. Louis wells is known as the Belcher well, located at the Belcher sugar refinery. It was commenced in the spring of 1849 and prosecuted at intervals till March, 1855, when steady work was commenced and maintained for thirty-three months, and a flowing vein was struck at a depth of 2,197 feet. While the vein was found to be strong enough to discharge seventy-five gallons per minute and raise the water seventy-five feet above the surface, it was so strongly impregnated with sulphur as to be unfit for the purposes of the refinery. The water was discovered to contain medical virtues, and to this day is quite a popular drink with St. Louisans. This well is exceeded in depth by the one at Pesth, heretofore mentioned, the La Chapelle well of Paris, which has a depth of 2,950 feet.

It is interesting to note in this connection that the Chinese and Egyptians were early acquainted with artesian wells, and that the oldest known one in Europe is at Lilliers, in Artois, whence the name artesian is derived. This well was sunk in 1126, but there is no record as to its depth. The Grenelle well of Paris, while having a depth of only 1,700 feet, is the most famous well of Europe on account of its wonderful flow of water. It is estimated to yield 516 gallons of water a minute and raise it thirty-two feet above the surface.

Owing to the improved machinery used in driving artesian wells in the last few years they are becoming quite common, but they rarely exceed a depth of 2,000 feet, and usually range from 500 to 800 feet. Louisville has one well of a depth of 2,086 feet, and Chicago has several ranging from 700 to 1,200 feet. Galveston is just now engaged in sinking a well that gives promise of attaining some celebrity. A Milwaukee firm has a contract at the sum of $75,000, and it has already attained a depth of 3,000 feet without having found water.

Broke Up the Party.

Some of the friends of a Portland young man called on him the other evening, says the Lewiston Journal, and had a pleasant time, but long after midnight he commenced to wonder why they did not thank him for his hospitality and leave for home. As dawn approached he abruptly left the room. After a few minutes had passed, as the young man did not return, the party went to search for him. They found him on the front steps looking anxiously about. He was peering over the fence and poking about in corners. "What are you looking for?" said one of the party. "Oh! I was just looking for the morning paper," replied the host. It worked.

LUCK IN OLD SHOES.

Curious Customs in Various Parts of the World.

The Chinese value a pair of boots which have been worn by an upright magistrate, and the custom of wishing a friend a "happy foot" is still observed all through Europe, says the Newark Standard. The casual putting on the left shoe on the right foot, putting it on uneven or crosswise, bursting the latch or tie, lacing it wrong and losing a button are all bad signs. A Yorkshire man will spit in his right shoe before putting it on, when going out on important business, to bring luck, and many an English girl has been known to hang her boots outside of the window on St. Valentine's night for love-luck. Prof. Black tells of a singular superstition existing in England which insists that if the youngest daughter of a family marries first her sisters must dance at the wedding without shoes, so as to insure husbands for themselves.

Old-shoe throwing is done for many purposes. In Ireland the election of a person to almost any office is concluded by throwing an old shoe over his head. The gypsies say:

Hurle after an old shoe,
I'll be merry what here I do.

In the Isle of Man an old shoe is always thrown after the bride, as well as the groom when leaving their homes, and in the south the oldest person on the plantation, white or black, always throws a shoe after any one starting on a long journey. It is said that Mme. Patti and other women of high standing on the stage preserve most carefully the boots they wore at their debut, which they consider lucky to wear on the first nights of engagements forever after.

A Peculiar Request.

An eccentric French lady named Cabouret has left a fortune of $1,600,000 to any Frenchman who may succeed in organizing a caravan of 500 of his compatriots and penetrating farther than anyone has ever done before into the wilds of Africa. The caravan may contain a larger number of persons, but, whether it does or not, one-half of its entire number must be brought back safe and sound to France. The will is to be disputed by her relatives. A Toulouse correspondent says the testator was a fervent admirer of Cardinal Lavigerie, and thought that the best way to kill the slave trade was to make Africa well known.

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